

**YAKAMA NATION HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
JOB ANNOUNCEMENT**



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Fish Technician III
Fisheries FRMP
Department of Natural Resources
Location: Toppenish, WA
Hourly Wage: \$16.86/Regular/Full-Time

Incumbent is responsible for a variety of semi-technical tasks relating to fisheries management. Duties include research tasks on Pacific Lamprey, trap and transporting adults, creel work, skill in use of field equipment, recording field data, intensive stream surveys, utilizing sampling protocols with eletro-fishing, enumerating, monitoring, maintaining field equipment, snorkeling, spawning ground surveys, radio tagging and mobile tracking, smolt trap, and power boat operations. Must be able to handle working independently. Perform light construction work as needed. All field work is done within the Yakama Nation Ceded lands, rivers, streams and usual and accustomed fishing areas.

Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities:

- Knowledge of standard fisheries principles and procedures assigned.
- Knowledge and skill in operating equipment and tools used in fisheries work.
- Knowledge of safety guidelines associated with work assignments.
- Ability to effectively communicate clearly both orally and in written form.
- Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships.
- Ability to handle leadership responsibilities as delegated.
- Ability to follow oral and written instructions.
- Ability to maintain accurate data and summarize reports.
- Ability to deal tactfully with the public.
- Ability to perform duties with minimum supervision.
- Ability to perform work assignments independently and productively.
- Ability to work outdoors in all types of weather and conditions.
- Ability to perform physical labor.
- Other duties as assigned.

General Recruiting Indicators:

- Requires two years' work experience as a Fish Technician II, OR record of college courses in fisheries science or closely related field AND one-year work experience as a Fish Technician II

Special Requirements:

- Required to pass a pre-employment drug and alcohol test.
- Required to pass a pre-employment background check.
- Must possess a valid Washington State Driver's license with the ability to obtain a Yakama Nation Tribal Driver's Permit.
- Must be in good physical condition with ability to hike up to 5 miles a day.
- Prefer candidate with a documented solid work ethic.
- Enrolled Yakama Preference.